This class meets with SPEA-V 366. This course provides an introduction to the management of people in public organizations. Focus is on behavioral science in management and related analytical and experiential applications. This course explores both theory and practical applications of organization theory and organizational behavior in public organizations. Students will learn a variety of theories and concepts about how individuals, groups, organizational structure, and the external environment influence employee attitudes, behavior, and performance. A strong emphasis will be placed on how managers can apply these theories and concepts toward improving decision making, job satisfaction, and performance.